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The PRESIDENT, after proposing the thanks of the Society to the
 Donors, congratulated the Meeting on the return of Dr. H. Blanc from
 Abyssinia, and on the return of their Honorary Fellow, Dr. Carter
 Blake, from Central America.

The following reports were read:—

*Report upon the state of Anthropology at the Meeting of the British
 Association for the Advancement of Science at Norwich.* By SIR
 G. DUNCAN GIBB, Bart., M.A., M.D., LL.D., F.A.S.L., etc.

At the late meeting of the British Association at Norwich, the
 science of Anthropology was almost wholly unrepresented; and this
 was due not to the falling off in the general interest of the science,
 but to two causes that presented themselves, one depending upon the

other. The chief of these was the annual meeting of the Congress of Archaic Anthropology, the name of which was there changed to that of Prehistoric Archæology. Mainly in consequence of this meeting occurring at the same time and place as that of the British Association, no Anthropological department was nominated in Section D, and papers that would have been brought before the latter, were read before the Congress. Those, also, who had papers bearing on some of the divisions of Anthropology, did not desire to interrupt the harmony and well working of the Congress by any endeavour to read them before a department of Section D. The Congress, therefore, represented all that was interesting concerning the Science of Man. It must be stated, however, that a large number of valuable papers, intended for the British Association, were not submitted to the Congress, their authors reserving them for reading elsewhere.

Before the British Association the following papers were read, bearing more or less upon Anthropology:—

“On the Native Races of Abyssinia.” By Dr. H. Blanc.

“Fourth Report of Committee for the Exploration of Kent’s Cavern.” By Mr. W. Pengelly.

“The Great Prairies and the Prairie Indians.” By Mr. W. Hepworth Dixon.

“Inhabitants of the Cyrenaïca and Western Libya.” By Captain Lindesay Brine, R.N.

“On Type Polymorphism and Variation, in relation to the Origin of Species.” By Mr. B. T. Lowne.

“Remarks on Language and Mythology, as Departments of Biological Science.” By Mr. E. B. Tylor.

“On Sixteen Eskimo Skulls.” By Professor Rolleston.

“Sepulchral Remains in Southern India.” By Sir Walter Elliot.

“On the Difficulties of Darwinism.” By the Rev. F. O. Morris.

“On the Physiology of Language.” By Dr. Hughlings Jackson.

“On the Seat of the Faculty of Articulate Language.” By Prof. Paul Broca.

“On the Power of Utterance, in respect of its Cerebral Bearings and Causes.” By Mr. R. Dunn.

“The North-east Turkish Frontier and its Tribes.” By Mr. W. G. Palgrave.

“On the Ugurs.” By Professor A. Vambéry.

“Nomade Races of European Russia.” By Mr. H. H. Howorth.

“On the Tehuelche Indians of Patagonia.” By Consul T. J. Hutchinson.

“On the supposed Differences in the Minds of Men and Women with regard to Educational Necessities.” By Miss Becker.

Many of these papers contained new facts and incidents, possessing more or less anthropological interest; but we do not purpose going into any of them on the present occasion.

With regard to the Prehistoric Congress, there was no lack of matter of value and importance, for the most part contributed by our own countrymen. The attendance at the Congress was not a very large one, unless, perhaps, on a few occasions, when papers of un-

usual interest were being read ; for instance, that by Prof. Huxley "On the Distribution of Races of Mankind as bearing upon their Antiquity." It was unfortunate that the two great meetings should have been held at the same time and place, as it was quite impossible for members of both to attend many of the meetings. This inconvenience will not happen next year ; and it is to be hoped—indeed, we have no doubt on the matter—that an Anthropological Department will be nominated as at Nottingham. This year, too, Ethnology was detached from Geography, and was not represented by any department of the British Association ; whether hereafter it will be tacked on to Anthropology, time will determine.

Of the papers brought before the Congress, without venturing to classify them under particular heads, they numbered twenty-six, according to the daily programmes, and were upon the following subjects :—

"On the Condition of Prehistoric Races, as inferred from Observation of Modern Tribes." By Mr. E. B. Tylor.

"On Stone Circles and Alignments."

"Notice of Groups of Cists in Aberdeenshire and Ross-shire."

"Note on Sculptured Stones in Scotland." By Mr. John Stuart.

"On Wayland's Cave and the Sarsden Stones, Vale of White Horse, Berkshire." By Mr. A. L. Lewis.

"On Rude Sculptures in various parts of the World." By Mr. Hodder M. Westropp.

"On the Antiquities of the Pacific and South Sea Islands." By Mr. J. H. Lamprey.

"On the Distribution of the Races of Mankind, as bearing upon their Antiquity." By Professor Huxley.

"On Crania discovered in Caves on Windmill Hill, Gibraltar, associated with Implements of Stone and Bone." By Prof. George Busk.

"On the Discovery of Human Remains in Caves in Perigord." By M. Louis Lartet.

"On some Human Crania." By Professor Broca.

"On the Mode of Sepulture observable in late Romano-British and early Anglo-Saxon times in this country." By Professor Rolleston.

"On the Antiquity of the Iron Works of the Weald." By Mr. W. Boyd Dawkins.

"On some Flints from near Bury St. Edmunds." By Mr. Henry Prigg, Junr.

"On the Manufacture of Stone Implements in Prehistoric Times." By Mr. John Evans.

"On Prehistoric Sepulchres in Algeria." By Mr. J. W. Flower.

"On Prehistoric Sepulchres in Brittany." By Rev. W. C. Lukis.

"Exhibition of Flint Implements from the Quaternary Deposits near Paris." By M. Reboux.

"On Quartzite Implements of Drift-Type found in Laterite Deposits of Madras." By Mr. R. Bruce Foote.

"On Sepulchral Remains in Southern India." By Sir Walter Elliot.

"Exhibition of Flint Implements." By Mr. Robert Fitch.

"Exhibition of Collection of Eskimo Stone Implements." By Mr. Edward Whymper.

"On Stone Implements from Japan." By Mr. A. W. Franks.

"On the Mammalia associated with Prehistoric Man." By Mr. W. Boyd Dawkins.

"On the Ogham Monuments of the Gaedhal (Gael)." By Mr. Richard Robert Brush.

"On the Ruins of Hajar Kim." By Mr. P. Furse.

"On the Curvature of the Tusks in the Mammoth from Ilford, compared with those from Siberia." By Mr. Henry Woodward.

"On the Connexion of Prehistoric and Historic Ages in Western Asia." By Mr. Hyde Clarke.

"L'Age du Renne en Maçonnais." Par MM. H. de Ferry et A. Arcelin

(Signed)

Oct. 23, 1868.

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Chairman of British Association Committee.

Report on the International Congress of Archaic Anthropology.

By ALFRED L. LEWIS, F.A.S.L.

The Congrès International d'Anthropologie et d'Archéologie Pré-historiques, of the formation and history of which a short account was given in the April number of the *Anthropological Review*, met, for the third time, in August last, at Norwich, with the somewhat abbreviated title, for the time being, of the "International Congress of Prehistoric Archæology."

The proceedings, which were participated in (amongst a number of other *savans*, British and foreign) by Messrs. Broca, Nilson, and Vogt, were opened, on the 20th August, by an inaugural address from the President (Sir John Lubbock, Bart., F.R.S., etc.). In the course of this address, which attracted a larger audience than any of the subsequent proceedings, Sir John Lubbock gave a sketch of the formation, history, and objects of the Congress, and paid an appropriate tribute to the memory of M. Boucher de Perthes, and other eminent archæologists lately deceased. He vindicated the manner in which prehistoric antiquities were being studied, discussed, at great length, the evidence upon which the distinctions between the palæolithic, næolithic, bronze, and iron ages were drawn, and concluded by impressing upon his audience the desirability and necessity of studying the archaic monuments of our own country, and the characteristics of those races in other countries who were still living under the stone age, before the materials for such studies, which were in both cases rapidly disappearing, should be entirely destroyed.

The Committee of Management had issued a kind of programme, detailing twelve classes of subjects relating to the earliest existence, physical characteristics, habits, manners, customs, manufactures, buildings, and implements of prehistoric man, and to the fauna associated with him, upon which it was desirable that information should be obtained, and the papers received, in accordance with this programme, were so numerous that we can only briefly notice each, referring for further particulars to the Proceedings of the Congress when published.